Minutes of the <u>Mayor's Summit</u> of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, City of Kingsport, Tennessee Thursday-Friday, October 29-30, 2015

Meadowview Conference and Convention Center

PRESENT: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

Mayor John Clark

Vice-Mayor Mike McIntire Alderman Colette George
Alderman Darrell Duncan Alderman Tommy Olterman
Alderman Tom C. Parham

City Administration

Jeff Fleming, City Manager

J. Michael Billingsley, City Attorney James H. Demming, City Recorder

The BMA attended a two-day summit entitled ONEKingsport hosted by Mayor Clark to develop a road map for the City of Kingsport for the next five years. Also in attendance were City Staff and many citizens from the community. On day one (12:15 pm – 5:30 pm), presentations were made by staff as well as special guests to lay the groundwork for the seven focus areas. These areas included Health and Wellness, Downtown Revitalization, Destination City Investments, Housing, Arts and Entertainment, Higher Education Innovation, and Job Creation/Entrepreneurship. On day two (8:00 Am – 2:30 pm), attendees dispersed into seven groups to individually discuss the focus areas. Each member of the BMA went to a different group. The summit ended with the groups reporting and live voting from those present as well as those participating elsewhere. The post-summit process was established to allow groups to follow up the goals that have been set.

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